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PATENT APPLICATION

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Case: 17

Title: Method Of Dynamic Rate Splitting

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Specification

3 Informal Sheets of drawing(s)

1 Assignment(s) with Cover Sheet

Declaration and Power of Attorney

Information Disclosure Statement

CLAIMS AS FILED				
	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA	RATE	CALCULATIONS
Total Claims	24 - 20 =	4	x \$18 =	\$72
Independent Claims	2 - 3 =	0	x \$84 =	\$0
Multiple Dependent Claims, if applicable			+ \$280 =	\$0
Basic Fee				\$750
TOTAL FEE				\$822

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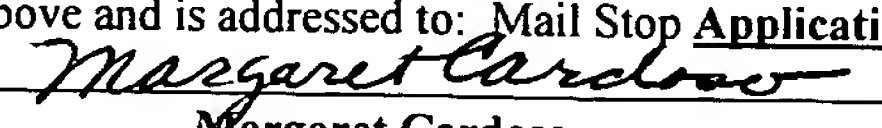
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